PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 08048.0068-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Valérie DE LA POTERIE et al.)) Group Art Unit: 1619
Application No.: 10/526,674) Examiner: J.A. Venkat
Filed: October 11, 2005) Confirmation No.: 3166
For: MAKING-UP COMPOSITION FOR KERATIN FIBERS SUCH AS THE EYELASHES)) <u>VIA EFS WEB</u>)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a four-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action (Restriction and Election of Species Requirement) dated June 22, 2009, extending the due date for response to November 23, 2009 (November 22, 2009, being a Sunday). A fee of \$1,730.00 is enclosed submitted herewith.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

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Dated: November 23, 2009